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Re: *SN 09/748,451 entitled "DNA FRAGMENTATION FACTOR INVOLVED IN APOPTOSIS" by Wang et al.*
Our ref: UTSD:546USD1 Client Ref: UTSD:0546

Commissioner:

Enclosed please find the following for filing in the above-referenced patent application:

- (1) Response to Restriction Requirement Dated August 27, 2002;
- (2) Request for Extension of Time;
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